

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

HM&FW Deptt., - Nursing Education – Certain allegations of sexual harassment on SC & ST students against Youth School of Nursing, Ananthapur - Report received and examined – Further action dropped-- Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (K1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1020

dated.17-08-2013.
Read the following:-

1. Govt.Memo.No.973/K1/85-1,M&H, dt.7-1-1986
2. Govt.Memo.No.776/K1/87-1, M&H, dt.9-7-1987
3. G.O.Ms.No.313, HM&FW (M2) Dept., dt.16-8-1997.
4. G.O.Ms.No.314, HM&FW (D2) Dept., dt.16-8-1997
5. G.O.Ms.No.77, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.28-2-2004.
6. G.O.Ms.No.292, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.2-9-2004.
7. G.O.Ms.No.145, HM&FW (D1) Dept., dt.24-4-2006.
8. From Sri. M.Mareppa, former Minister, Govt. of A.P., Lr.dt. Nil received on 4/1/2010.
9. Govt.Memo.No.566/K2/2010, dated 21-01-2010.
10. From the District Collector & Magistrate, Anantapur, Lr.Rc.No.850/ES/2009, dt.5-2-2010.
11. From the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.984/NEA/2010, dt.19-3-2010.
12. From the District Collector & Magistrate, Anantapur, Lr.Rc.No.850/DM&HO/2009, dt.28-9-2010.
13. G.O.Rt.No.15, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.5-1-2011.
14. From the Correspondents of (1) Youth School of Nursing (2) b Mass School of Nursing, (3) Kasturi MPHWS (F) Training School And (4) Mass MPHWS (F) Training School functioning at Ananthapur.
15. Govt.Memo.No.566/K1/2010, dated. 22-3-2011 addressed to the DME, CH&FW and District Collector, Ananthapur
16. From the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr. Rc.No. 984/NEA/2011, dt. 15/08/2011 & dt. 17/10/2011.
17. Govt.Lr.No.566/K1/2010, dated. 4-8-2012 addressed to the Chairman, HPC, Hyderabad.
18. Govt.Lr.No.566/K1/2010, dated. 4-10-2012 addressed to the Chairman, HPC, Hyderabad.
19. Govt.Lr.No.18355/K1/2011, dated. 4-8-2012 addressed to the Chairman, HPC, Hyderabad.
20. From the Chairman, High Power Committee, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.363/HPC/2012, dt.14.3.2013.
21. Govt. Memo No.566/K1/2010, dt. 11/7/2013
22. From the Correspondent, Youth School of Nursing, Ananthapur, Lr. dt. Nil
23. From the Secretary, Mass School of Nursing, Ananthapur, Letter dated 24/7/2013.

ORDER:

In the letter 8th read above, certain allegations of sexual harassment were made by SC,ST Students studying in their institutions on the Correspondent & his sons of Youth School of Nursing, Ananthapur. After examining the matter, the District Collector, Ananthapur was requested to cause a detailed enquiry into the matter and submit a report, for taking further action vide memo 9th read above. Accordingly in the letters 10th and 12th read above, the District Collector, Ananthapur has submitted reports, wherein the above said allegations were not proved. However, certain administrative lapses were noticed in the enquiry. After examining the matter, a notice was issued to all the institutions, directing them to rectify the deficiencies mentioned therein and instructing them for immediate improvement of their situation by relocation of the institutions to another premises with necessary infrastructure as per norms, appointment of faculty as per INC norms and provision of facilities like library, laboratory, toilets, bathrooms etc., within a period of 15 days and submit compliance vide G.O.13th read above.

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2. In response to the Show Cause Notice, in the letter 14th read above, the Correspondents of (1) Youth School of Nursing (2) Mass School of Nursing, (3) Kasturi MPHWS (F) Training School and (4) Mass MPHWS (F) Training School functioning at Ananthapur have submitted their explanations and accordingly, the Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, Hyderabad and DME have been requested to conduct inspection of all the four institutions duly constituting an inspection team to inspect the said Institutions with reference to each aspect in the show cause notice issued and in the explanations of the Institutions and send a factual report along with specific findings on the compliance with various requirements of INC like infrastructure, faculty, basic amenities and related requirements and submit a report along with specific recommendations in the Memo 15th read above.

3. In the letter 16th read above, the Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, Hyderabad and DME have furnished inspection report on the explanations of the institutions wherein it was stated that all facilities found adequate as per the norms of INC and it was certified that they have physically verified the facilities available in the four institutions and found them to be fully satisfied.

4. Further, the Chairman, High Power Committee, Hyderabad who was requested to verify the factual report submitted by the DME with reference to the allegations leveled against all the 4 institutions as per guidelines of APNMC and INC regulations has furnished his remarks in the matter for taking further action vide letter 20th read above. After examining the matter, another show cause notice was issued to all the four institutions for shifting of the institutions vide memo 21st read above. In reply to this, in the letters 22nd and 23rd read above, the Correspondents of the four institutions have submitted their explanations, stating that they have complied with the instructions of the Govt. They have requested the Govt. to drop further action in the matter.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter, taking into cognizance of the explanation submitted by the managements of the said four institutions, the inspection reports submitted by the Director of Medical Education vide letter 16th read above and as per the recommendations of the Chairman, HPC, Hyderabad in his letter 20th read above, further action is hereby dropped against the four institutions viz., (1) Youth School of Nursing (2) Mass School of Nursing, (3) Kasturi MPHWS (F) Training School and (4) Mass MPHWS (F) Training School functioning at Ananthapur,

6. The Director of Medical Education / President, A.P.Nursing Midwives Council is requested to take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

L.V.SUBRAHMANYAM
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Correspondents of (1) Youth School of Nursing (2) Mass School of Nursing, (3) Kasturi MPHWS (F) Training School and (4) Mass MPHWS (F) Training School functioning at Ananthapur (through Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad).

The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Chairman, High Power Committee, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Registrar, A.P.Nurses Midwives Council, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, Hyderabad.

Copy to

The Secretary, Indian Nursing Council, Combined councils building, Kotla Road, Temple Lane, New Delhi-110 002.

The District Collector, Ananthapur.

The District Medical & Health Officer, Ananthapur District.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER